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In re Patent Application of:
Sidney Pestka

Application No.: 09/891093

Group Art Unit: 1646

Filed: June 25, 2001

Examiner: P Mertz

For: MODIFIED IL-2 POLYPEPTIDES

January 30, 2003

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2002
OFFICE ACTION AND PETITION FOR A ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to a September 30, 2002 Office Action (paper number 8) issued in connection with the subject application. A response was due December 30, 2002. Applicants hereby petition for a one month extension of time. Applicants have previously established small entity status. The required fee for a one month extension of time for a small entity is \$55.00, and authorization is hereby given to charge this amount to Deposit Account No. 18-1945, under Order No. PBLI-P08-005. Therefore, a response is now due January 30, 2003. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

Please amend the subject application as follows:

In the Title:

Please replace the title with the following:

--Modified IL-2 Polypeptides--

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
Total Claims	5	- 20 =	0	x 18.00	0
Independent Claims	1	- 3 =	0	x 84.00	0
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					
Other fee (please specify): Extension for response within first month <input type="checkbox"/> \$55.00					
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 Large Entity Small Entity No additional fee is required for this amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. 18-1945 in the amount of \$ 55.00
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 18-1945
as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Credit any overpayment. Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.


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